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REQUEST FOR COMMENCEMENT OF THE NATIONAL STAGE OF A PCT APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371

To the Commissioner for Patents:

This is a request for commencement of the national stage under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of PCT application PCT/US2004/027777, filed on August 25, 2004, entitled COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS COMPRISING PROSTAGLANDIN RELATED COMPOSITIONS AND TREFOIL FACTOR FAMILY PEPTIDES FOR THE TREATMENT OF GLAUCOMA WITH REDUCED HYPEREMIA by the following named inventor(s):

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PCT/US2004/02777, filed on August 25, 2004 claims the benefit of Provisional Application, Serial No. 60/508,445, filed on October 3, 2003.

Applicants expressly request that the national stage of processing commence as soon as the application is in order for such purpose and the applicable requirements of 35 USC § 371(c) have been complied with.

- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to use Deposit Account Number 01-0885 for the payment of any extension fees incurred during the prosecution of this application.
- (X) Enclosed is a specification of 22 pages, 28 claims (3 pages) and an abstract (1 page).

Oath or Declaration

- (X) Enclosed is a fully executed oath or declaration.
- (X) A self-addressed return postcard is enclosed for verification of receipt.
- (X) The filing fee is calculated below:

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- (X) An Assignment with the Recordation Cover Sheet, bestowing all interest in this application to Allergan, Inc., is enclosed.
- () New drawing(s) are enclosed ____ sheets.
- () A Statement Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.821(f) and a labeled diskette containing the computer readable sequence listing is enclosed.
- () A Statement Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.821(e), stating that the paper copy and the computer readable form are identical is filed herewith.
- () A properly labeled computer readable form of the Sequence Listing accompanies this Application.
- (X) The Power of Attorney in this application is to Brent A. Johnson, Registration Number 51,851.
- (X) The Power of Attorney appears in the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, filed herewith.
- () A copy of the Request for Extension of Time filed in the prior application is enclosed.

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